# Governor

# Charlie Pierce, Registered Republican



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AGE: 62

PLACE OF BIRTH: Wiesbatten, Germany

SPOUSE'S NAME: **Yvonne** 

**CHILDREN'S NAMES:** Ryan, Travis, Trevor, Colin,

Graham

OCCUPATION: Mayor, Kenai Peninsula

Borough

**LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA: 45 years** 

ALASKAN COMMUNITIES LIVED IN:

Anchorage, Kenai, Soldotna, Sterling

**EDUCATION:** 

Bartlett H.S., Anchorage; UAA, Anchorage Community College, Alaska Pacific University, Certificate of Business

Management

#### **POLITICAL AND GOVERNMENT POSITIONS:**

Assembly member, Kenai Peninsula Borough: 2 Terms Mayor of Kenai Peninsula Borough: 2 terms

#### **BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:**

29 years with Enstar Corporation positions from linemen to Division Operations Manager

## **SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS MEMBERSHIPS:**

Rotary, United Way, Soldotna Chamber, Head Start Volunteer

## **SPECIAL INTERESTS:**

Fishing, Golf, Travel

## OTHER:

I have participated and sponsored many community events for the general public and the senior citizens of the Kenai Peninsula. My wife Vonnie and I have participated in charitable events for many years. As Mayor of the KPB the Borough has had a balanced budget, funded education, a budget surplus, stayed open through the Covid pandemic and a property tax mill rate reduction.

## STATEMENT:

The VISION:

Charlie Pierce, candidate for Governor and Edie Grunwald, his running mate for Lt. Governor, have a Vision for Alaska that is an embodiment of the thoughts and desires of Alaskans all over our great state.

Purely and simply: Let's put "Alaskans First", not only in words but in actions. Our State Government must again embrace the Vision of our founding fathers that we are Alaskans and the people of Alaska are Alaska.

Our Vision of putting "Alaskans First" leads to our mission to put those words into actions.

The MISSION:

To take actions like:

Restoring the statutory PFD as an Alaskan right.

Making state government more efficient while being responsive to the residents of Alaska.

Responsible resource development to benefit all Alaskans.

Supporting our Alaska Sport and commercial fisheries by working to stop Alaskan trawler bycatch.

Restore Integrity into our voting system. Enhance the education of Alaska's children.

These are just a few of the items within our mission. Raising our State and its residents from near last in most national categories to near first is a part of the mission.

We look forward to being your choice to lead Alaska into a future of growth and prosperity.

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